

Note to users: The NCS (National Compensation Survey) is a BLS establishment survey of employee salaries, wages, and benefits. The survey is designed to produce data at local levels, within broad regions, and nationwide. The NCS will replace 3 existing BLS surveys: Employment Cost Index (ECI), Occupational Compensation Survey Program (OCS), and Employee Benefits Survey (EBS).

The chief reasons for developing the NCS are: 1) Expand existing compensation programs by covering more occupations, by publishing more local data, and by representing all workers; 2) Eliminate duplicate data collection and processing requirements; 3) Reduce respondent burden; 4) Develop more efficient and streamlined collection and processing techniques; 5) Improve the quality of published data; 6) Produce a variety of local and national data; and 7) Address budget constraints.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics' Office of Compensation Levels and Trends (OCLT) is redesigning its compensation statistics to reflect the workplace of the 21st century. This initiative is named the National Compensation Survey (NCS); formerly, it was called COMP2000. Under the COMP2000 banner, BLS conducted six test surveys using new concepts and procedures for selecting occupations and determining the level of duties and responsibilities of those occupations.

The NCS will cover civilian workers in private industry establishments and State and local governments. It excludes private households, the Federal government, and agriculture. BLS began collecting the wage portion of the NCS starting in the fall of 1996 at which time the OCS survey was discontinued.

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Table 1-1. **Summary: Mean hourly earnings¹ and weekly hours by selected characteristics, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001**

Worker and establishment characteristics	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours ³	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours ³	Hourly earnings		Mean weekly hours ³
	Mean	Relative error ² (percent)		Mean	Relative error ² (percent)		Mean	Relative error ² (percent)	
Total	\$19.07	2.3	36.1	\$18.27	2.9	35.9	\$21.97	2.2	37.2
Worker characteristics:⁴									
White-collar occupations ⁵	23.11	2.3	36.4	22.71	3.0	36.4	24.34	2.6	36.6
Professional specialty and technical	28.61	2.2	36.4	28.80	3.1	36.6	28.26	2.6	36.0
Executive, administrative, and managerial	29.93	3.8	39.3	31.31	4.2	39.4	25.87	6.7	39.1
Sales	16.62	11.2	33.5	16.55	11.3	33.5	—	—	—
Administrative support	14.23	2.6	36.4	14.25	3.1	36.3	14.16	3.7	36.5
Blue-collar occupations ⁵	15.56	3.3	38.2	15.35	3.6	38.2	17.46	3.8	38.2
Precision production, craft, and repair	19.02	3.2	40.1	19.03	3.5	40.1	18.91	4.9	40.0
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	13.81	4.8	39.6	13.81	4.8	39.9	—	—	—
Transportation and material moving	15.15	7.6	35.4	14.64	9.9	34.8	17.19	4.6	37.8
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	11.53	5.4	37.4	11.49	5.6	37.4	12.38	14.2	36.1
Service occupations ⁵	11.19	3.4	33.6	9.09	3.1	32.3	17.29	4.0	38.3
Full time	20.03	2.2	39.5	19.33	2.9	39.6	22.33	2.2	39.1
Part time	11.56	10.0	21.6	11.20	11.4	21.9	14.99	8.0	19.0
Union	20.62	3.7	37.2	19.00	6.1	37.7	23.15	2.6	36.5
Nonunion	18.66	2.6	35.9	18.13	3.2	35.5	21.25	3.0	37.6
Time	18.97	2.3	36.1	18.08	3.0	35.7	21.97	2.2	37.2
Incentive	21.48	10.8	38.0	21.48	10.8	38.0	—	—	—
Establishment characteristics:									
Goods producing	(⁶ / ₆)	(⁶ / ₆)	(⁶ / ₆)	—	—	—	(⁶ / ₆)	(⁶ / ₆)	(⁶ / ₆)
Service producing	(⁶ / ₆)	(⁶ / ₆)	(⁶ / ₆)	—	—	—	(⁶ / ₆)	(⁶ / ₆)	(⁶ / ₆)
50-99 workers ⁷	16.26	7.0	34.9	16.26	7.0	34.9	—	—	—
100-499 workers	16.60	5.1	35.8	16.59	5.3	35.8	16.90	13.0	36.5
500 workers or more	21.86	2.3	36.8	21.54	3.7	36.6	22.30	2.1	37.2

¹ Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, and holidays; nonproduction bonuses; and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours.

² The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A.

³ Mean weekly hours are the hours an employee is scheduled to work in a week, exclusive of overtime.

⁴ Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Union workers are those whose wages are determined through collective bargaining. Wages of time workers are based solely on

hourly rate or salary; incentive workers are those whose wages are at least partially based on productivity payments such as piece rates, commissions, and production bonuses.

⁵ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. See appendix B for more information.

⁶ Classification of establishments into goods-producing and service-producing industries applies to private industry only.

⁷ Establishments classified with 50-99 workers may contain establishments with fewer than 50 due to staff reductions between survey sampling and collection.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria.

Table 2-1. **Mean hourly earnings,¹ all workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001**

Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
All	\$19.07	2.3	\$18.27	2.9	\$21.97	2.2
All excluding sales	19.28	2.3	18.46	3.0	21.97	2.2
White collar	23.11	2.3	22.71	3.0	24.34	2.6
White collar excluding sales	24.10	2.1	24.01	2.8	24.35	2.6
Professional specialty and technical	28.61	2.2	28.80	3.1	28.26	2.6
Professional specialty	29.66	2.3	29.86	3.3	29.33	2.6
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	33.34	3.8	33.42	4.3	32.72	4.3
Electrical and electronic engineers	33.97	3.6	33.97	3.6	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c.	34.18	9.7	34.02	10.5	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	29.97	5.0	29.97	5.0	—	—
Computer systems analysts and scientists	30.41	5.6	30.42	5.6	—	—
Operations and systems researchers and analysts	24.51	4.3	24.51	4.3	—	—
Natural scientists	25.21	12.5	26.40	14.5	—	—
Health related	28.57	5.2	29.06	5.3	25.75	14.2
Physicians	43.08	13.3	42.47	14.2	—	—
Registered nurses	26.52	6.7	26.70	6.9	23.68	7.4
Respiratory therapists	19.36	5.6	19.36	5.6	—	—
Speech therapists	35.23	4.1	—	—	—	—
Therapists, n.e.c.	19.39	10.3	—	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university	37.06	5.5	42.06	9.7	33.77	5.1
English teachers	27.33	13.7	—	—	—	—
Other post-secondary teachers	31.44	4.8	—	—	32.27	7.2
Teachers, except college and university	30.64	1.6	25.83	6.7	31.28	1.7
Prekindergarten and kindergarten	21.98	18.5	—	—	—	—
Elementary school teachers	31.09	1.9	28.35	5.7	31.27	2.0
Secondary school teachers	32.36	1.9	30.65	5.8	32.62	1.9
Teachers, special education	28.44	5.1	22.34	2.5	30.48	3.6
Teachers, n.e.c.	29.51	8.6	20.51	13.5	31.58	7.5
Vocational and educational counselors	27.99	9.8	—	—	30.05	8.3
Librarians, archivists, and curators	20.61	6.1	20.27	8.4	21.17	8.3
Librarians	20.50	6.1	20.09	8.4	21.17	8.3
Social scientists and urban planners	29.31	7.5	33.81	6.1	—	—
Psychologists	26.91	9.7	—	—	—	—
Social, recreation, and religious workers	15.88	11.3	—	—	18.51	5.0
Social workers	15.94	12.4	—	—	18.78	5.6
Lawyers and judges	54.01	9.1	—	—	34.38	8.2
Lawyers	56.10	8.3	—	—	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	27.44	5.7	27.55	5.8	—	—
Editors and reporters	25.49	6.2	25.49	6.2	—	—
Technical	22.83	8.9	24.12	10.5	17.85	4.2
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	17.60	6.5	17.63	6.5	—	—
Radiological technicians	18.92	3.4	18.92	3.4	—	—
Licensed practical nurses	17.71	4.8	18.62	4.6	15.16	3.4
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	15.66	6.6	14.01	6.3	—	—
Electrical and electronic technicians	21.63	8.4	21.63	8.4	—	—
Airplane pilots and navigators	93.36	22.6	93.36	22.6	—	—
Computer programmers	25.17	7.6	25.17	7.6	—	—
Technical and related, n.e.c.	18.04	4.2	20.39	6.7	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial	29.93	3.8	31.31	4.2	25.87	6.7
Executives, administrators, and managers	33.82	4.4	35.12	5.0	29.65	6.8
Administrators and officials, public administration	26.06	11.0	—	—	26.06	11.0
Financial managers	44.76	10.9	44.76	10.9	—	—
Personnel and labor relations managers	30.78	16.7	—	—	—	—
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	39.21	14.6	39.21	14.6	—	—
Administrators, education and related fields	32.58	5.5	30.91	10.5	33.31	6.3
Managers, medicine and health	30.86	10.2	32.35	9.2	—	—
Managers, food servicing and lodging establishments	17.74	17.6	17.74	17.6	—	—
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	29.09	19.2	29.44	19.8	—	—
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	36.44	5.2	36.57	5.4	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 2-1. **Mean hourly earnings,¹ all workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001** — Continued

Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
White collar —Continued						
Executive, administrative, and managerial —Continued						
Management related	\$22.44	4.1	\$23.48	3.6	\$19.85	8.8
Accountants and auditors	21.40	7.4	22.76	2.7	19.48	14.8
Other financial officers	28.81	14.2	29.46	14.5	—	—
Management analysts	31.50	5.4	31.50	5.4	—	—
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	19.77	12.4	19.77	12.4	—	—
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	18.05	7.4	—	—	18.05	7.4
Management related, n.e.c.	21.23	6.5	21.39	7.9	—	—
Sales	16.62	11.2	16.55	11.3	—	—
Supervisors, sales	20.17	19.0	20.17	19.0	—	—
Sales, other business services	25.24	14.9	25.24	14.9	—	—
Sales workers, apparel	17.05	13.4	17.05	13.4	—	—
Sales workers, hardware and building supplies ...	12.00	8.8	12.00	8.8	—	—
Sales workers, other commodities	9.84	7.6	9.84	7.6	—	—
Cashiers	9.41	11.5	9.39	11.6	—	—
Administrative support, including clerical	14.23	2.6	14.25	3.1	14.16	3.7
Supervisors, general office	19.72	5.3	19.28	5.9	21.70	10.9
Secretaries	16.13	4.6	16.78	5.3	14.37	4.7
Typists	14.22	4.5	—	—	—	—
Hotel clerks	8.38	4.7	8.38	4.7	—	—
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	18.14	4.6	18.14	4.6	—	—
Receptionists	10.23	5.8	10.17	6.1	—	—
Order clerks	17.16	14.7	17.16	14.7	—	—
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping	15.98	7.4	—	—	—	—
Library clerks	9.69	4.9	—	—	9.92	5.3
Records clerks, n.e.c.	13.57	6.1	13.84	7.1	—	—
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	12.65	4.2	12.35	4.9	13.33	7.3
Billing clerks	12.85	4.7	12.85	4.7	—	—
Telephone operators	9.40	7.1	—	—	—	—
Dispatchers	14.28	15.6	—	—	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	16.51	9.1	15.56	13.9	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	12.76	4.8	12.76	4.8	—	—
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance	14.12	5.3	14.12	5.3	—	—
Eligibility clerks, social welfare	15.49	2.4	—	—	15.55	2.4
General office clerks	13.77	4.5	13.46	5.5	14.80	6.1
Bank tellers	11.09	4.8	11.09	4.8	—	—
Data entry keyers	9.93	9.6	11.90	4.1	—	—
Teachers' aides	11.58	7.1	9.05	10.4	12.64	5.2
Administrative support, n.e.c.	12.89	7.1	12.75	8.2	13.80	6.5
Blue collar	15.56	3.3	15.35	3.6	17.46	3.8
Precision production, craft, and repair	19.02	3.2	19.03	3.5	18.91	4.9
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics	18.94	7.7	—	—	—	—
Industrial machinery repairers	16.94	9.4	16.81	11.6	—	—
Telephone line installers and repairers	21.98	1.0	21.98	1.0	—	—
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	19.32	5.5	19.67	5.8	—	—
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers	26.65	4.6	—	—	—	—
Carpenters	16.06	4.2	—	—	—	—
Electricians	22.59	12.2	23.07	12.6	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	13.81	4.8	13.81	4.8	—	—
Laundry and dry cleaning machine operators	9.81	7.3	9.81	7.3	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	12.61	13.9	12.61	13.9	—	—
Assemblers	16.79	9.3	16.79	9.3	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ..	10.19	6.3	10.19	6.3	—	—

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Table 2-1. **Mean hourly earnings,¹ all workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001** — Continued

Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
Blue collar —Continued						
Transportation and material moving	\$15.15	7.6	\$14.64	9.9	\$17.19	4.6
Truck drivers	14.10	9.1	13.95	10.0	15.72	3.6
Driver-sales workers	10.20	23.9	10.20	23.9	—	—
Bus drivers	15.93	5.7	—	—	17.05	3.5
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	11.53	5.4	11.49	5.6	12.38	14.2
Groundskeepers and gardeners, except farm	10.75	8.7	—	—	—	—
Stock handlers and baggers	10.27	9.6	10.27	9.6	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	14.93	10.5	14.93	10.5	—	—
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	10.70	9.7	10.70	9.7	—	—
Service	11.19	3.4	9.09	3.1	17.29	4.0
Protective service	16.99	7.0	10.10	7.0	20.63	4.7
Firefighting	19.72	7.8	—	—	19.72	7.8
Police and detectives, public service	20.54	6.3	—	—	20.81	6.4
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers	17.74	18.6	—	—	17.74	18.6
Correctional institution officers	16.26	.8	—	—	16.26	.8
Guards and police, except public service	9.51	5.3	9.29	4.7	—	—
Food service	7.62	5.7	7.52	5.9	10.71	3.7
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	5.27	10.9	5.27	10.9	—	—
Waiters and waitresses	4.38	12.5	4.38	12.5	—	—
Waiters'/Waitresses' assistants	7.84	7.3	7.84	7.3	—	—
Other food service	9.34	4.8	9.26	5.1	10.71	3.7
Supervisors, food preparation and service	14.08	16.2	14.08	16.2	—	—
Cooks	9.45	4.4	9.34	4.6	—	—
Kitchen workers, food preparation	8.36	9.6	8.13	9.7	—	—
Food preparation, n.e.c.	8.76	5.9	8.70	6.4	—	—
Health service	10.53	2.6	10.27	2.9	12.23	2.5
Health aides, except nursing	10.57	10.1	—	—	—	—
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	10.50	2.8	10.33	3.0	12.00	2.9
Cleaning and building service	9.87	4.1	9.38	4.6	12.19	3.2
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	13.96	9.8	13.81	10.7	—	—
Maids and housemen	9.28	6.4	9.28	6.4	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	9.64	6.0	8.66	7.1	12.05	3.2
Personal service	11.58	8.6	11.63	11.8	11.47	7.5
Attendants, amusement, and recreation facilities	7.02	8.4	—	—	7.54	12.2
Public transportation attendants	22.23	15.9	28.74	8.9	—	—
Early childhood teachers' assistants	13.42	6.0	—	—	—	—
Child care workers, n.e.c.	11.17	5.7	10.47	3.3	—	—
Service, n.e.c.	9.68	6.0	9.25	6.2	—	—

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Table 2-2. **Mean hourly earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001**

Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
All	\$20.03	2.2	\$19.33	2.9	\$22.33	2.2
All excluding sales	20.11	2.2	19.38	3.0	22.32	2.2
White collar	23.93	2.2	23.72	2.8	24.51	2.7
White collar excluding sales	24.59	2.1	24.62	2.8	24.51	2.7
Professional specialty and technical	28.82	2.2	29.10	3.1	28.32	2.7
Professional specialty	29.76	2.2	29.98	3.2	29.42	2.7
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	33.34	3.8	33.42	4.3	32.72	4.3
Electrical and electronic engineers	33.97	3.6	33.97	3.6	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c.	34.18	9.7	34.02	10.5	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	29.97	5.0	29.97	5.0	—	—
Computer systems analysts and scientists	30.41	5.6	30.42	5.6	—	—
Operations and systems researchers and analysts	24.51	4.3	24.51	4.3	—	—
Natural scientists	25.21	12.5	26.40	14.5	—	—
Health related	27.56	5.6	28.08	5.7	25.40	14.5
Physicians	42.28	13.5	41.74	14.3	—	—
Registered nurses	23.98	2.6	24.00	2.8	23.76	7.5
Therapists, n.e.c.	19.33	10.7	—	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university	36.85	5.7	42.27	9.9	33.06	5.0
Other post-secondary teachers	32.17	4.1	—	—	33.63	6.0
Teachers, except college and university	30.95	1.7	26.38	6.7	31.52	1.7
Prekindergarten and kindergarten	21.98	18.5	—	—	—	—
Elementary school teachers	31.09	1.9	28.35	5.7	31.27	2.0
Secondary school teachers	32.40	1.9	30.57	5.9	32.68	1.9
Teachers, special education	28.44	5.1	22.34	2.5	30.48	3.6
Teachers, n.e.c.	32.17	6.5	—	—	33.24	6.2
Vocational and educational counselors	28.23	9.9	—	—	30.38	8.2
Librarians, archivists, and curators	20.72	6.4	20.24	8.6	21.56	9.0
Librarians	20.61	6.4	—	—	21.56	9.0
Social scientists and urban planners	29.15	7.6	33.62	6.2	—	—
Psychologists	26.51	9.9	—	—	—	—
Social, recreation, and religious workers	16.60	9.0	11.26	11.4	18.70	5.2
Social workers	16.59	9.7	—	—	18.73	5.6
Lawyers and judges	54.73	8.9	—	—	34.22	9.5
Lawyers	56.95	8.1	—	—	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	27.45	5.8	27.57	5.9	—	—
Editors and reporters	25.49	6.2	25.49	6.2	—	—
Technical	23.46	9.5	25.10	11.3	17.87	4.2
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	17.15	6.4	17.17	6.4	—	—
Radiological technicians	18.65	3.5	18.65	3.5	—	—
Licensed practical nurses	17.20	5.8	18.37	5.9	15.12	3.4
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	15.74	7.1	13.92	7.2	—	—
Electrical and electronic technicians	21.63	8.4	21.63	8.4	—	—
Airplane pilots and navigators	93.36	22.6	93.36	22.6	—	—
Computer programmers	25.17	7.6	25.17	7.6	—	—
Technical and related, n.e.c.	18.08	4.3	20.39	6.7	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial	30.25	3.8	31.76	4.1	25.87	6.8
Executives, administrators, and managers	34.23	4.4	35.65	4.9	29.68	6.9
Administrators and officials, public administration	26.06	11.3	—	—	26.06	11.3
Financial managers	44.76	10.9	44.76	10.9	—	—
Personnel and labor relations managers	30.78	16.7	—	—	—	—
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	39.21	14.6	39.21	14.6	—	—
Administrators, education and related fields	32.58	5.5	30.91	10.5	33.31	6.3
Managers, medicine and health	30.88	10.9	32.51	9.9	—	—
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	29.09	19.2	29.44	19.8	—	—
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	37.22	4.8	37.39	4.9	—	—
Management related	22.62	4.1	23.75	3.6	19.85	8.8
Accountants and auditors	21.40	7.4	22.76	2.7	19.48	14.8
Other financial officers	28.81	14.2	29.46	14.5	—	—
Management analysts	31.50	5.4	31.50	5.4	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 2-2. **Mean hourly earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001** — Continued

Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
White collar —Continued						
Executive, administrative, and managerial —Continued						
Management related —Continued						
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	\$19.77	12.4	\$19.77	12.4	—	—
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	18.05	7.4	—	—	\$18.05	7.4
Management related, n.e.c.	21.50	6.6	21.79	8.0	—	—
Sales	18.85	11.2	18.78	11.4	—	—
Supervisors, sales	21.20	19.2	21.20	19.2	—	—
Sales, other business services	25.24	14.9	25.24	14.9	—	—
Sales workers, other commodities	10.82	8.1	10.82	8.1	—	—
Cashiers	9.95	11.5	9.95	11.5	—	—
Administrative support, including clerical	14.69	2.6	14.79	3.2	14.34	3.9
Supervisors, general office	19.73	5.3	19.28	5.9	21.82	10.9
Secretaries	16.62	4.5	17.57	4.8	14.37	4.7
Typists	14.40	4.7	—	—	—	—
Hotel clerks	8.48	5.5	8.48	5.5	—	—
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	19.06	2.7	19.06	2.7	—	—
Receptionists	10.87	5.3	10.82	5.8	—	—
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping	15.98	7.4	—	—	—	—
Library clerks	12.06	5.4	—	—	12.06	5.4
Records clerks, n.e.c.	13.02	5.7	13.20	6.6	—	—
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	12.89	4.2	12.68	5.0	13.33	7.3
Billing clerks	12.95	4.5	12.95	4.5	—	—
Telephone operators	9.40	7.1	—	—	—	—
Dispatchers	14.28	15.6	—	—	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	16.77	8.9	15.93	13.8	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	12.76	4.8	12.76	4.8	—	—
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance	14.11	5.4	14.11	5.4	—	—
General office clerks	14.02	4.4	13.73	5.3	15.01	6.6
Bank tellers	11.54	6.8	11.54	6.8	—	—
Data entry keyers	9.87	10.3	—	—	—	—
Teachers' aides	11.27	8.2	—	—	12.26	6.2
Administrative support, n.e.c.	13.10	8.0	12.97	9.0	14.06	8.1
Blue collar	16.00	3.2	15.82	3.6	17.71	3.9
Precision production, craft, and repair	19.04	3.2	19.05	3.5	18.91	4.9
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics	18.94	7.7	—	—	—	—
Industrial machinery repairers	16.94	9.4	16.81	11.6	—	—
Telephone line installers and repairers	21.98	1.0	21.98	1.0	—	—
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	19.32	5.5	19.67	5.8	—	—
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers	26.65	4.6	—	—	—	—
Carpenters	16.06	4.2	—	—	—	—
Electricians	22.59	12.2	23.07	12.6	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	13.81	4.8	13.81	4.8	—	—
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators	9.81	7.3	9.81	7.3	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	12.61	13.9	12.61	13.9	—	—
Assemblers	16.79	9.3	16.79	9.3	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ..	10.19	6.3	10.19	6.3	—	—
Transportation and material moving	16.57	6.1	16.33	8.0	17.43	4.9
Truck drivers	15.19	5.6	15.13	6.3	15.72	3.6
Bus drivers	16.28	6.6	—	—	17.62	3.2
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	11.81	5.7	11.77	5.9	12.78	15.3
Stock handlers and baggers	10.97	9.4	10.97	9.4	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	16.06	10.1	16.06	10.1	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 2-2. **Mean hourly earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001** — Continued

Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
Blue collar —Continued						
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers —Continued						
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	\$10.75	9.9	\$10.75	9.9	—	—
Service	12.19	3.6	9.75	3.2	\$17.93	4.0
Protective service	17.70	7.2	10.18	8.8	20.72	4.7
Firefighting	19.72	7.8	—	—	19.72	7.8
Police and detectives, public service	20.54	6.3	—	—	20.81	6.4
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers	17.48	19.4	—	—	17.48	19.4
Correctional institution officers	16.26	.8	—	—	16.26	.8
Guards and police, except public service	9.38	6.1	9.07	4.6	—	—
Food service	8.40	5.9	8.34	6.1	10.83	5.4
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	5.92	12.3	5.92	12.3	—	—
Waiters and waitresses	4.62	16.3	4.62	16.3	—	—
Waiters'/Waitresses' assistants	8.26	8.2	8.26	8.2	—	—
Other food service	9.81	5.2	9.77	5.4	10.83	5.4
Supervisors, food preparation and service	14.57	16.2	14.57	16.2	—	—
Cooks	9.63	4.9	9.51	5.2	—	—
Kitchen workers, food preparation	8.33	9.5	8.33	9.5	—	—
Food preparation, n.e.c.	9.22	5.8	9.19	6.2	—	—
Health service	10.67	2.4	10.35	2.6	12.33	2.3
Health aides, except nursing	10.93	11.1	—	—	—	—
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	10.60	2.4	10.39	2.6	12.13	2.8
Cleaning and building service	10.47	4.1	9.99	4.8	12.19	3.2
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers	13.96	9.8	13.81	10.7	—	—
Maids and housemen	9.25	6.5	9.25	6.5	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	10.73	6.3	9.80	9.7	12.05	3.2
Personal service	13.28	10.2	13.10	12.7	14.03	7.6
Public transportation attendants	25.11	14.4	28.74	8.9	—	—
Service, n.e.c.	9.99	5.6	9.55	5.7	—	—

¹ Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours.

² Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

³ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to cover all workers in the civilian economy. See appendix B for more information.

⁴ The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A.

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Table 2-3. **Mean hourly earnings,¹ part-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001**

Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
All	\$11.56	10.0	\$11.20	11.4	\$14.99	8.0
All excluding sales	12.06	11.0	11.69	12.8	15.02	8.1
White collar	15.45	12.0	15.05	13.6	19.65	10.5
White collar excluding sales	18.36	12.5	18.16	14.3	19.85	10.7
Professional specialty and technical	26.25	9.9	26.22	11.3	26.43	11.0
Professional specialty	28.43	10.1	28.76	11.5	26.71	10.8
Health related	31.47	7.7	31.39	7.9	35.56	14.2
Registered nurses	30.93	9.3	30.97	9.3	—	—
Teachers, college and university	40.47	15.4	33.85	15.5	41.78	17.7
Teachers, except college and university	19.03	19.3	18.91	22.5	19.09	26.5
Teachers, n.e.c.	15.62	23.6	—	—	—	—
Librarians, archivists, and curators	18.57	8.7	—	—	17.05	10.0
Librarians	18.57	8.7	—	—	17.05	10.0
Social scientists and urban planners	—	—	—	—	—	—
Social, recreation, and religious workers	11.64	16.5	—	—	—	—
Lawyers and judges	—	—	—	—	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Technical	17.20	10.6	17.23	10.7	—	—
Licensed practical nurses	19.01	4.9	19.04	5.0	—	—
Executive, administrative, and managerial	13.92	27.8	12.71	29.3	—	—
Executives, administrators, and managers	—	—	—	—	—	—
Management related	—	—	—	—	—	—
Sales	8.84	8.1	8.81	8.2	—	—
Sales workers, other commodities	8.22	10.4	8.22	10.4	—	—
Cashiers	8.85	12.9	8.79	13.2	—	—
Administrative support, including clerical	10.52	3.8	10.42	4.2	11.31	6.8
Secretaries	11.60	1.1	11.60	1.1	—	—
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	16.14	13.7	16.14	13.7	—	—
Receptionists	9.14	10.1	9.15	10.1	—	—
Library clerks	8.42	3.9	—	—	8.39	5.2
General office clerks	10.59	9.2	9.67	9.4	—	—
Administrative support, n.e.c.	11.43	4.7	10.93	5.4	—	—
Blue collar	8.10	10.2	7.29	8.9	14.05	8.5
Precision production, craft, and repair	—	—	—	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	—	—	—	—	—	—
Transportation and material moving	7.94	14.6	6.84	11.4	15.20	7.9
Bus drivers	14.68	6.8	—	—	15.20	7.9
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	8.19	6.2	8.14	6.6	—	—
Stock handlers and baggers	7.24	6.8	7.24	6.8	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	9.58	11.3	9.58	11.3	—	—
Service	7.40	5.3	7.12	5.8	9.98	6.6
Protective service	10.16	4.6	9.87	5.0	—	—
Guards and police, except public service	9.87	5.0	9.87	5.0	—	—
Food service	5.77	7.7	5.56	7.6	10.56	4.6
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	4.29	16.2	4.29	16.2	—	—
Waiters and waitresses	4.09	17.9	4.09	17.9	—	—
Waiters/Waitresses' assistants	6.44	12.2	6.44	12.2	—	—
Other food service	7.70	6.0	7.39	5.6	10.56	4.6
Cooks	8.48	7.4	8.48	7.4	—	—
Kitchen workers, food preparation	8.45	13.0	—	—	—	—
Food preparation, n.e.c.	7.31	10.4	7.02	11.8	—	—
Health service	9.94	8.8	9.96	8.8	—	—
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	10.07	9.1	10.10	9.2	—	—
Cleaning and building service	7.23	6.4	7.23	6.4	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 2-3. **Mean hourly earnings,¹ part-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001** — Continued

Occupation ³	Total		Private industry		State and local government	
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)
Service —Continued						
Cleaning and building service—Continued						
Janitors and cleaners	\$7.10	6.8	\$7.10	6.8	—	—
Personal service	8.20	8.9	6.99	7.2	\$9.43	9.7
Attendants, amusement, and recreation facilities	7.02	8.4	—	—	7.54	12.2
Service, n.e.c.	7.65	21.3	7.51	21.6	—	—

¹ Earnings are the straight-time hourly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours.

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Table 3-1. **Mean weekly earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001**

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
All	\$791	2.2	39.5	\$766	2.9	39.6	\$873	2.2	39.1
All excluding sales	794	2.2	39.5	768	3.0	39.6	872	2.2	39.1
White collar	944	2.2	39.4	944	2.8	39.8	942	2.6	38.4
White collar excluding sales	968	2.1	39.4	979	2.7	39.8	942	2.6	38.5
Professional specialty and technical	1,125	2.1	39.0	1,155	2.8	39.7	1,074	2.4	37.9
Professional specialty	1,169	2.1	39.3	1,207	3.0	40.3	1,112	2.4	37.8
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	1,363	4.9	40.9	1,373	5.5	41.1	1,288	4.1	39.4
Electrical and electronic engineers	1,364	3.7	40.1	1,364	3.7	40.1	—	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c.	1,360	9.6	39.8	1,361	10.5	40.0	—	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	1,226	3.9	40.9	1,226	3.9	40.9	—	—	—
Computer systems analysts and scientists	1,247	4.3	41.0	1,247	4.3	41.0	—	—	—
Operations and systems researchers and analysts	981	4.3	40.0	981	4.3	40.0	—	—	—
Natural scientists	1,020	13.2	40.4	1,070	15.4	40.5	—	—	—
Health related	1,090	5.6	39.5	1,112	5.8	39.6	998	13.6	39.3
Physicians	1,689	13.5	39.9	1,670	14.3	40.0	—	—	—
Registered nurses	940	2.8	39.2	939	3.0	39.1	950	7.5	40.0
Therapists, n.e.c.	773	10.7	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university	1,505	5.6	40.8	1,705	9.9	40.3	1,361	4.9	41.2
Other post-secondary teachers	1,287	4.1	40.0	—	—	—	1,345	6.0	40.0
Teachers, except college and university	1,138	1.6	36.8	1,018	7.1	38.6	1,152	1.6	36.6
Prekindergarten and kindergarten	838	16.1	38.1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Elementary school teachers	1,141	1.9	36.7	1,091	4.5	38.5	1,144	2.0	36.6
Secondary school teachers	1,175	1.9	36.3	1,168	7.3	38.2	1,176	1.9	36.0
Teachers, special education	1,043	3.7	36.7	887	2.0	39.7	1,090	3.4	35.8
Teachers, n.e.c.	1,265	7.1	39.3	—	—	—	1,322	6.3	39.8
Vocational and educational counselors	1,040	7.1	36.8	—	—	—	1,102	5.4	36.3
Librarians, archivists, and curators	813	6.3	39.2	792	8.4	39.1	850	8.6	39.4
Librarians	810	6.3	39.3	—	—	—	850	8.6	39.4
Social scientists and urban planners	1,129	6.6	38.7	1,284	5.2	38.2	—	—	—
Psychologists	1,061	9.9	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Social, recreation, and religious workers	684	6.4	41.2	506	4.6	45.0	746	5.3	39.9
Social workers	686	6.9	41.4	—	—	—	746	5.7	39.8
Lawyers and judges	2,103	7.9	38.4	—	—	—	1,347	10.0	39.4
Lawyers	2,188	7.1	38.4	—	—	—	—	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	1,086	6.1	39.5	1,090	6.2	39.5	—	—	—
Editors and reporters	1,002	6.2	39.3	1,002	6.2	39.3	—	—	—
Technical	887	8.2	37.8	938	9.6	37.4	704	4.6	39.4
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	680	6.3	39.6	681	6.3	39.6	—	—	—
Radiological technicians	738	4.0	39.6	738	4.0	39.6	—	—	—
Licensed practical nurses	662	7.1	38.5	707	7.9	38.5	583	5.8	38.6
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	622	7.0	39.5	549	7.8	39.5	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic technicians	865	8.4	40.0	865	8.4	40.0	—	—	—
Airplane pilots and navigators	2,240	19.9	24.0	2,240	19.9	24.0	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3-1. **Mean weekly earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001** — Continued

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
White collar –Continued									
Professional specialty and technical –Continued									
Technical –Continued									
Computer programmers	\$990	7.7	39.3	\$990	7.7	39.3	–	–	–
Technical and related, n.e.c. ..	723	4.3	40.0	815	6.7	40.0	–	–	–
Executive, administrative, and managerial									
Executives, administrators, and managers	1,211	3.8	40.0	1,279	4.1	40.3	\$1,018	6.7	39.3
Administrators and officials, public administration	1,377	4.3	40.2	1,446	4.8	40.6	1,164	6.7	39.2
Financial managers	1,016	11.1	39.0	–	–	–	1,016	11.1	39.0
Personnel and labor relations managers	1,793	10.6	40.1	1,793	10.6	40.1	–	–	–
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	1,261	16.6	41.0	–	–	–	–	–	–
Administrators, education and related fields	1,581	15.5	40.3	1,581	15.5	40.3	–	–	–
Managers, medicine and health	1,285	5.5	39.4	1,224	10.8	39.6	1,312	6.2	39.4
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	1,278	13.2	41.4	1,352	12.4	41.6	–	–	–
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	1,196	17.5	41.1	1,215	17.9	41.3	–	–	–
Management related	1,512	4.4	40.6	1,522	4.6	40.7	–	–	–
Accountants and auditors	897	4.1	39.6	943	3.5	39.7	785	8.5	39.5
Other financial officers	850	7.3	39.7	910	2.7	40.0	768	14.1	39.4
Management analysts	1,152	14.2	40.0	1,179	14.5	40.0	–	–	–
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	1,229	4.8	39.0	1,229	4.8	39.0	–	–	–
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	785	12.6	39.7	785	12.6	39.7	–	–	–
Management related, n.e.c.	722	7.4	40.0	–	–	–	722	7.4	40.0
	853	6.6	39.7	865	8.1	39.7	–	–	–
Sales									
Supervisors, sales	752	11.2	39.9	750	11.4	39.9	–	–	–
Sales, other business services	852	19.2	40.2	852	19.2	40.2	–	–	–
Sales workers, other commodities	1,010	14.9	40.0	1,010	14.9	40.0	–	–	–
Cashiers	418	8.6	38.6	418	8.6	38.6	–	–	–
	398	11.5	40.0	398	11.5	40.0	–	–	–
Administrative support, including clerical									
Supervisors, general office	580	2.6	39.5	585	3.1	39.6	561	4.0	39.1
Secretaries	791	4.9	40.1	776	5.5	40.2	855	10.0	39.2
Typists	658	4.4	39.6	695	4.7	39.5	570	4.6	39.7
Hotel clerks	571	3.9	39.7	–	–	–	–	–	–
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	339	5.5	40.0	339	5.5	40.0	–	–	–
Receptionists	762	2.7	40.0	762	2.7	40.0	–	–	–
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping	430	5.3	39.6	430	5.8	39.8	–	–	–
Library clerks	639	7.4	40.0	–	–	–	–	–	–
Records clerks, n.e.c.	462	5.8	38.3	–	–	–	462	5.8	38.3
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	514	5.5	39.5	521	6.4	39.5	–	–	–
Billing clerks	499	4.4	38.7	491	4.7	38.8	514	9.0	38.5
Telephone operators	518	4.5	40.0	518	4.5	40.0	–	–	–
	373	7.3	39.6	–	–	–	–	–	–

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3-1. **Mean weekly earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001** — Continued

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Administrative support, including clerical —Continued									
Dispatchers	\$571	15.6	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	666	9.0	39.8	\$632	14.0	39.7	—	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	499	4.2	39.1	499	4.2	39.1	—	—	—
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance	554	4.4	39.3	554	4.4	39.3	—	—	—
General office clerks	551	4.3	39.3	544	5.1	39.6	\$577	7.5	38.5
Bank tellers	462	6.8	40.0	462	6.8	40.0	—	—	—
Data entry keyers	390	9.6	39.5	—	—	—	—	—	—
Teachers' aides	387	12.5	34.3	—	—	—	441	7.1	36.0
Administrative support, n.e.c.	518	8.0	39.5	515	9.1	39.7	539	10.9	38.4
Blue collar	639	3.3	39.9	632	3.6	40.0	705	3.9	39.8
Precision production, craft, and repair	765	3.3	40.2	766	3.7	40.2	756	4.9	40.0
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics	758	7.7	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Industrial machinery repairers	677	9.4	40.0	672	11.6	40.0	—	—	—
Telephone line installers and repairers	879	1.0	40.0	879	1.0	40.0	—	—	—
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	773	5.5	40.0	787	5.8	40.0	—	—	—
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers	1,066	4.6	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Carpenters	642	4.2	40.0	—	—	—	—	—	—
Electricians	903	12.2	40.0	923	12.6	40.0	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	550	4.8	39.9	550	4.8	39.9	—	—	—
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators	391	7.2	39.8	391	7.2	39.8	—	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	499	13.1	39.6	499	13.1	39.6	—	—	—
Assemblers	672	9.3	40.0	672	9.3	40.0	—	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ...	408	6.3	40.0	408	6.3	40.0	—	—	—
Transportation and material moving	657	6.2	39.7	649	8.0	39.7	689	4.8	39.6
Truck drivers	608	5.6	40.0	605	6.3	40.0	629	3.6	40.0
Bus drivers	626	7.9	38.4	—	—	—	691	3.8	39.2
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	471	5.7	39.9	469	5.9	39.8	511	15.3	40.0
Stock handlers and baggers ...	437	9.4	39.9	437	9.4	39.9	—	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	642	10.1	40.0	642	10.1	40.0	—	—	—
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	428	9.9	39.8	428	9.9	39.8	—	—	—
Service	478	3.7	39.3	377	3.0	38.7	730	4.3	40.7
Protective service	721	7.8	40.7	400	9.2	39.3	857	5.1	41.3
Firefighting	942	10.2	47.8	—	—	—	942	10.2	47.8
Police and detectives, public service	830	6.3	40.4	—	—	—	841	6.3	40.4

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3-1. **Mean weekly earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001** — Continued

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵	Weekly earnings		Mean weekly hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
Service—Continued									
Protective service—Continued									
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers	\$681	20.4	39.0	—	—	—	\$681	20.4	39.0
Correctional institution officers	651	.8	40.1	—	—	—	651	.8	40.1
Guards and police, except public service	369	6.4	39.3	\$356	4.9	39.3	—	—	—
Food service	328	6.1	39.0	325	6.3	39.0	420	6.7	38.8
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	227	12.3	38.4	227	12.3	38.4	—	—	—
Waiters and waitresses	176	16.2	38.1	176	16.2	38.1	—	—	—
Waiters'/Waitresses' assistants	325	7.7	39.3	325	7.7	39.3	—	—	—
Other food service	386	5.5	39.4	385	5.7	39.4	420	6.7	38.8
Supervisors, food preparation and service	565	18.7	38.8	565	18.7	38.8	—	—	—
Cooks	379	5.5	39.3	374	5.8	39.3	—	—	—
Kitchen workers, food preparation	330	9.4	39.6	330	9.4	39.6	—	—	—
Food preparation, n.e.c.	362	6.2	39.2	362	6.5	39.3	—	—	—
Health service	420	2.4	39.4	408	2.8	39.4	480	2.7	38.9
Health aides, except nursing ..	422	9.7	38.6	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	418	2.5	39.4	409	2.8	39.4	483	3.1	39.8
Cleaning and building service	413	4.1	39.5	393	4.7	39.4	487	3.2	40.0
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers ...	558	9.8	40.0	552	10.7	40.0	—	—	—
Maids and housemen	362	5.9	39.1	362	5.9	39.1	—	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	426	6.5	39.7	388	10.0	39.6	482	3.2	40.0
Personal service	456	6.3	34.3	437	7.4	33.4	543	8.1	38.7
Public transportation attendants	596	5.0	23.7	606	5.4	21.1	—	—	—
Service, n.e.c.	381	6.2	38.2	365	6.5	38.3	—	—	—

¹ Earnings are the straight-time weekly wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours.

² Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

³ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to

cover all workers in the civilian economy. See appendix B for more information.

⁴ The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A.

⁵ Mean weekly hours are the hours an employee is scheduled to work in a week, exclusive of overtime.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.

Table 3-2. **Mean annual earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001**

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
All	\$40,093	2.2	2,002	\$39,587	2.9	2,048	\$41,603	2.2	1,863
All excluding sales	40,164	2.2	1,997	39,645	3.0	2,046	41,584	2.2	1,863
White collar	47,228	2.2	1,974	48,650	2.8	2,051	43,750	2.6	1,785
White collar excluding sales	48,226	2.1	1,961	50,378	2.7	2,046	43,733	2.6	1,784
Professional specialty and technical	54,002	2.1	1,874	58,834	2.8	2,022	46,929	2.4	1,657
Professional specialty	55,319	2.1	1,859	61,173	3.0	2,041	47,787	2.4	1,625
Engineers, architects, and surveyors	70,851	4.9	2,125	71,381	5.5	2,136	66,974	4.1	2,047
Electrical and electronic engineers	70,912	3.7	2,088	70,912	3.7	2,088	—	—	—
Engineers, n.e.c.	70,726	9.6	2,069	70,771	10.5	2,080	—	—	—
Mathematical and computer scientists	63,733	3.9	2,127	63,748	3.9	2,127	—	—	—
Computer systems analysts and scientists	64,824	4.3	2,131	64,842	4.3	2,132	—	—	—
Operations and systems researchers and analysts	50,991	4.3	2,080	50,991	4.3	2,080	—	—	—
Natural scientists	52,368	13.2	2,077	54,818	15.4	2,076	—	—	—
Health related	55,920	5.6	2,029	57,791	5.8	2,058	48,619	13.6	1,914
Physicians	87,804	13.5	2,077	86,821	14.3	2,080	—	—	—
Registered nurses	48,857	2.8	2,037	48,803	3.0	2,033	49,418	7.5	2,080
Therapists, n.e.c.	40,210	10.7	2,080	—	—	—	—	—	—
Teachers, college and university	62,477	5.6	1,695	70,909	9.9	1,678	56,464	4.9	1,708
Other post-secondary teachers	56,419	4.1	1,754	—	—	—	55,932	6.0	1,663
Teachers, except college and university	46,221	1.6	1,493	41,311	7.1	1,566	46,799	1.6	1,485
Prekindergarten and kindergarten	37,433	16.1	1,703	—	—	—	—	—	—
Elementary school teachers	44,980	1.9	1,447	40,795	4.5	1,439	45,261	2.0	1,447
Secondary school teachers	46,544	1.9	1,437	42,426	7.3	1,388	47,218	1.9	1,445
Teachers, special education	43,965	3.7	1,546	43,296	2.0	1,938	44,133	3.4	1,448
Teachers, n.e.c.	59,008	7.1	1,834	—	—	—	60,841	6.3	1,830
Vocational and educational counselors	48,034	7.1	1,701	—	—	—	50,002	5.4	1,646
Librarians, archivists, and curators	42,274	6.3	2,040	41,173	8.4	2,035	44,211	8.6	2,050
Librarians	42,114	6.3	2,044	—	—	—	44,211	8.6	2,050
Social scientists and urban planners	58,710	6.6	2,014	66,775	5.2	1,986	—	—	—
Psychologists	55,150	9.9	2,080	—	—	—	—	—	—
Social, recreation, and religious workers	35,554	6.4	2,142	26,333	4.6	2,339	38,766	5.3	2,073
Social workers	35,689	6.9	2,151	—	—	—	38,806	5.7	2,072
Lawyers and judges	109,370	7.9	1,998	—	—	—	70,066	10.0	2,048
Lawyers	113,752	7.1	1,997	—	—	—	—	—	—
Writers, authors, entertainers, athletes, and professionals, n.e.c.	56,454	6.1	2,056	56,664	6.2	2,055	—	—	—
Editors and reporters	52,094	6.2	2,044	52,094	6.2	2,044	—	—	—
Technical	46,114	8.2	1,965	48,760	9.6	1,942	36,593	4.6	2,048
Clinical laboratory technologists and technicians	35,350	6.3	2,062	35,405	6.3	2,061	—	—	—
Radiological technicians	38,363	4.0	2,057	38,363	4.0	2,057	—	—	—
Licensed practical nurses	34,447	7.1	2,002	36,764	7.9	2,001	30,309	5.8	2,005
Health technologists and technicians, n.e.c.	32,355	7.0	2,055	28,558	7.8	2,052	—	—	—
Electrical and electronic technicians	44,988	8.4	2,080	44,988	8.4	2,080	—	—	—
Airplane pilots and navigators	116,500	19.9	1,248	116,500	19.9	1,248	—	—	—

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3-2. **Mean annual earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001** — Continued

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
White collar –Continued									
Professional specialty and technical –Continued									
Technical –Continued									
Computer programmers	\$51,494	7.7	2,046	\$51,494	7.7	2,046	–	–	–
Technical and related, n.e.c. ..	37,547	4.3	2,077	42,195	6.7	2,070	–	–	–
Executive, administrative, and managerial									
Executives, administrators, and managers	62,561	3.8	2,068	66,300	4.1	2,088	\$52,106	6.7	2,014
Administrators and officials, public administration	70,913	4.3	2,072	74,839	4.8	2,099	59,052	6.7	1,989
Financial managers	52,848	11.1	2,028	–	–	–	52,848	11.1	2,028
Personnel and labor relations managers	93,259	10.6	2,083	93,259	10.6	2,083	–	–	–
Managers, marketing, advertising, and public relations	65,586	16.6	2,131	–	–	–	–	–	–
Administrators, education and related fields	82,225	15.5	2,097	82,225	15.5	2,097	–	–	–
Managers, medicine and health	63,261	5.5	1,942	61,484	10.8	1,989	64,021	6.2	1,922
Managers, service organizations, n.e.c.	66,470	13.2	2,152	70,294	12.4	2,162	–	–	–
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	62,193	17.5	2,138	63,203	17.9	2,147	–	–	–
Management related	78,178	4.4	2,101	78,637	4.6	2,103	–	–	–
Accountants and auditors	46,642	4.1	2,062	49,043	3.5	2,065	40,802	8.5	2,055
Other financial officers	44,208	7.3	2,066	47,295	2.7	2,078	39,925	14.1	2,049
Management analysts	59,923	14.2	2,080	61,285	14.5	2,080	–	–	–
Personnel, training, and labor relations specialists	63,921	4.8	2,030	63,921	4.8	2,030	–	–	–
Inspectors and compliance officers, except construction	40,844	12.6	2,066	40,844	12.6	2,066	–	–	–
Management related, n.e.c.	37,544	7.4	2,080	–	–	–	37,544	7.4	2,080
	44,372	6.6	2,064	44,970	8.1	2,063	–	–	–
Sales									
Supervisors, sales	39,097	11.2	2,074	38,986	11.4	2,076	–	–	–
Sales, other business services	44,301	19.2	2,090	44,301	19.2	2,090	–	–	–
Sales workers, other commodities	52,502	14.9	2,080	52,502	14.9	2,080	–	–	–
Cashiers	21,735	8.6	2,008	21,735	8.6	2,008	–	–	–
	20,706	11.5	2,080	20,706	11.5	2,080	–	–	–
Administrative support, including clerical									
Supervisors, general office	29,913	2.6	2,037	30,333	3.1	2,051	28,492	4.0	1,987
Secretaries	41,106	4.9	2,083	40,342	5.5	2,093	44,485	10.0	2,039
Typists	34,194	4.4	2,058	36,132	4.7	2,056	29,631	4.6	2,061
Hotel clerks	29,708	3.9	2,064	–	–	–	–	–	–
Transportation ticket and reservation agents	17,633	5.5	2,080	17,633	5.5	2,080	–	–	–
Receptionists	39,649	2.7	2,080	39,649	2.7	2,080	–	–	–
Personnel clerks, except payroll and timekeeping	22,382	5.3	2,059	22,381	5.8	2,069	–	–	–
Library clerks	33,233	7.4	2,080	–	–	–	–	–	–
Records clerks, n.e.c.	24,003	5.8	1,990	–	–	–	24,003	5.8	1,990
Bookkeepers, accounting and auditing clerks	26,737	5.5	2,054	27,088	6.4	2,053	–	–	–
Billing clerks	25,900	4.4	2,010	25,554	4.7	2,016	26,613	9.0	1,997
Telephone operators	26,931	4.5	2,080	26,931	4.5	2,080	–	–	–
	19,373	7.3	2,060	–	–	–	–	–	–

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3-2. **Mean annual earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001** — Continued

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
White collar —Continued									
Administrative support, including clerical —Continued									
Dispatchers	\$29,702	15.6	2,080	—	—	—	—	—	—
Stock and inventory clerks	34,657	9.0	2,067	\$32,841	14.0	2,062	—	—	—
Insurance adjusters, examiners, and investigators	25,971	4.2	2,035	25,971	4.2	2,035	—	—	—
Investigators and adjusters, except insurance	28,805	4.4	2,041	28,805	4.4	2,041	—	—	—
General office clerks	28,670	4.3	2,045	28,270	5.1	2,059	\$30,006	7.5	2,000
Bank tellers	24,007	6.8	2,080	24,007	6.8	2,080	—	—	—
Data entry keyers	20,274	9.6	2,053	—	—	—	—	—	—
Teachers' aides	15,403	12.5	1,367	—	—	—	17,373	7.1	1,417
Administrative support, n.e.c.	26,911	8.0	2,054	26,754	9.1	2,062	28,053	10.9	1,995
Blue collar	33,010	3.3	2,063	32,757	3.6	2,071	35,272	3.9	1,991
Precision production, craft, and repair	39,735	3.3	2,087	39,795	3.7	2,088	39,274	4.9	2,077
Bus, truck, and stationary engine mechanics	39,128	7.7	2,065	—	—	—	—	—	—
Industrial machinery repairers	35,228	9.4	2,080	34,956	11.6	2,080	—	—	—
Telephone line installers and repairers	45,302	1.0	2,061	45,302	1.0	2,061	—	—	—
Mechanics and repairers, n.e.c.	40,184	5.5	2,080	40,905	5.8	2,080	—	—	—
Supervisors, electricians and power transmission installers	55,423	4.6	2,080	—	—	—	—	—	—
Carpenters	33,401	4.2	2,080	—	—	—	—	—	—
Electricians	46,979	12.2	2,080	47,993	12.6	2,080	—	—	—
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	28,621	4.8	2,072	28,621	4.8	2,072	—	—	—
Laundering and dry cleaning machine operators	20,319	7.2	2,072	20,319	7.2	2,072	—	—	—
Miscellaneous machine operators, n.e.c.	25,972	13.1	2,060	25,972	13.1	2,060	—	—	—
Assemblers	34,931	9.3	2,080	34,931	9.3	2,080	—	—	—
Production inspectors, checkers and examiners ...	21,199	6.3	2,080	21,199	6.3	2,080	—	—	—
Transportation and material moving	33,546	6.2	2,025	33,702	8.0	2,064	33,028	4.8	1,895
Truck drivers	31,603	5.6	2,080	31,478	6.3	2,080	32,705	3.6	2,080
Bus drivers	28,074	7.9	1,724	—	—	—	29,559	3.8	1,678
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	24,175	5.7	2,048	24,080	5.9	2,046	26,588	15.3	2,080
Stock handlers and baggers ...	22,736	9.4	2,072	22,736	9.4	2,072	—	—	—
Freight, stock, and material handlers, n.e.c.	33,410	10.1	2,080	33,410	10.1	2,080	—	—	—
Laborers, except construction, n.e.c.	21,452	9.9	1,995	21,452	9.9	1,995	—	—	—
Service	24,696	3.7	2,026	19,593	3.0	2,009	37,077	4.3	2,068
Protective service	37,496	7.8	2,118	20,812	9.2	2,045	44,539	5.1	2,149
Firefighting	49,008	10.2	2,485	—	—	—	49,008	10.2	2,485
Police and detectives, public service	43,157	6.3	2,101	—	—	—	43,755	6.3	2,102

See footnotes at end of table.

Table 3-2. **Mean annual earnings,¹ full-time workers:² Selected occupations, private industry and State and local government, National Compensation Survey, Washington-Baltimore, DC-MD-VA-WV, April 2001** — Continued

Occupation ³	Total			Private industry			State and local government		
	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵	Annual earnings		Mean annual hours ⁵
	Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)		Mean	Relative error ⁴ (percent)	
Service —Continued									
Protective service —Continued									
Sheriffs, bailiffs, and other law enforcement officers	\$35,407	20.4	2,026	—	—	—	\$35,407	20.4	2,026
Correctional institution officers	33,862	.8	2,083	—	—	—	33,862	.8	2,083
Guards and police, except public service	19,177	6.4	2,044	\$18,516	4.9	2,042	—	—	—
Food service	16,943	6.1	2,016	16,896	6.3	2,026	18,429	6.7	1,702
Waiters, waitresses, and bartenders	11,820	12.3	1,997	11,820	12.3	1,997	—	—	—
Waiters and waitresses	9,161	16.2	1,983	9,161	16.2	1,983	—	—	—
Waiters'/Waitresses' assistants	16,888	7.7	2,045	16,888	7.7	2,045	—	—	—
Other food service	19,883	5.5	2,027	19,955	5.7	2,043	18,429	6.7	1,702
Supervisors, food preparation and service	29,389	18.7	2,018	29,389	18.7	2,018	—	—	—
Cooks	19,457	5.5	2,020	19,430	5.8	2,043	—	—	—
Kitchen workers, food preparation	17,159	9.4	2,060	17,159	9.4	2,060	—	—	—
Food preparation, n.e.c.	18,363	6.2	1,991	18,578	6.5	2,021	—	—	—
Health service	21,826	2.4	2,045	21,231	2.8	2,051	24,825	2.7	2,014
Health aides, except nursing ..	21,788	9.7	1,993	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nursing aides, orderlies and attendants	21,741	2.5	2,050	21,273	2.8	2,048	25,108	3.1	2,070
Cleaning and building service	21,473	4.1	2,052	20,443	4.7	2,046	25,273	3.2	2,074
Supervisors, cleaning and building service workers ...	29,041	9.8	2,080	28,721	10.7	2,080	—	—	—
Maids and housemen	18,804	5.9	2,033	18,804	5.9	2,033	—	—	—
Janitors and cleaners	22,128	6.5	2,062	20,129	10.0	2,053	24,985	3.2	2,073
Personal service	22,303	6.3	1,679	22,718	7.4	1,735	20,865	8.1	1,487
Public transportation attendants	29,466	5.0	1,174	31,538	5.4	1,097	—	—	—
Service, n.e.c.	18,928	6.2	1,895	19,002	6.5	1,990	—	—	—

¹ Earnings are the straight-time annual wages or salaries paid to employees. They include incentive pay, cost-of-living adjustments, and hazard pay. Excluded are premium pay for overtime, vacations, holidays, nonproduction bonuses, and tips. The mean is computed by totaling the pay of all workers and dividing by the number of workers, weighted by hours.

² Employees are classified as working either a full-time or a part-time schedule based on the definition used by each establishment. Therefore, a worker with a 35-hour-per-week schedule might be considered a full-time employee in one establishment, but classified as part-time in another firm, where a 40-hour week is the minimum full-time schedule.

³ A classification system including about 480 individual occupations is used to

cover all workers in the civilian economy. See appendix B for more information.

⁴ The relative standard error (RSE) is the standard error expressed as a percent of the estimate. It can be used to calculate a "confidence interval" around a sample estimate. For more information about RSEs, see appendix A.

⁵ Mean annual hours are the hours an employee is scheduled to work in a year, exclusive of overtime.

NOTE: Dashes indicate that no data were reported or that data did not meet publication criteria, and n.e.c. means "not elsewhere classified." Overall occupational groups may include data for categories not shown separately.